

HOUSE RESOLUTION 37  
By Langster

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Lauren Briggance  
Simpson of Nashville upon her exemplary efforts  
as a Girl Scout.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this legislative body honor those individuals who  
through their determination, abilities and endurance have achieved goals far and above the  
masses; and

WHEREAS, one such outstanding young lady is Lauren Briggance Simpson, who  
recently sold 1,200 boxes of Girl Scout cookies, and thus accumulated \$3,000 for her Girl Scout  
Cumberland Valley Troop # 201 at the Hartman Park Community Center in Nashville; and

WHEREAS, at the tender age of four, Lauren began as a "Daisy" and is currently a  
Junior Scout; and

WHEREAS, born on October 15, 1986, Lauren exemplifies the spirit and dedication that  
is characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, during her exemplary tenure in the Girl Scouts, Lauren has been one of the  
top sellers of Girl Scout cookies, far exceeding the goal of selling 1,000 boxes of cookies; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her Girl Scout activities, Lauren is a very dynamic young lady  
who participates in speech contests, fashion shows and commercials; and

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WHEREAS, Lauren Briggance Simpson, the daughter of proud parents James and Viveca Briggance Simpson, is a fifth grade student at Gra-Mar Elementary School, where she has excelled both academically and in extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, Lauren is also an active band student and a member of the 4-H Club at her school; and

WHEREAS, Lauren is the granddaughter of Richard and Fenecia Briggance and the great-granddaughter of Emma K. Pratt; and

WHEREAS, a budding young actress, Lauren will appear in the upcoming movie "Gummo", and has appeared in music videos for Vince Gill, Trisha Yearwood, Stephen Chapman and Marty Stuart; and

WHEREAS, she also demonstrates her faith as an active member of the New Hope Missionary Baptist Church, where she is a member of the youth choir and attends Sunday School; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that we pause to specially recognize Lauren Briggance Simpson as one of the most outstanding young persons of our state; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby honor and commend Lauren Briggance Simpson for her exemplary efforts as a Girl Scout and wish her every continued success in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.